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THE MUSIC OF THE SEA.

The gray, unresting sea,
Adown the bright and melting shore,
Breaking in untold melody,
Makes music evermore.

Centuries of vanished time,
Since the glad earth's primeval morn,
Have heard the grand, unpausing chime
Momently new-born.

Like as in cloistered piles
Zion bursts of massive sounds upswell,
Ringing along dim-lighted aisles
With a spirit-trancing spell,

So on the surf-white stand
Chants the deep peal the sea-waves raise,
Like voices from a viewless land
Hymning a hymn of praise.

By times, in thunder notes,
The bounding billows shoreward surge;
By times a silver laugh it floats;
By times a low, soft dirge.

Souls more ennobled grow
Listing the worldly anthem rise,
Discords are drowned in the flow
Of Nature's harmonies.

Men change and "cease to be,"
And empires rise, and grow and fall;
But the weird music of the sea
Lives, and outlives them all.

The mystic song shall last
Till time itself no more shall be;
Till seas and shores have passed—
Lost in eternity.

THE CAVALRY OFFICER.

Colonel Merville was an *attache* of Napoleon's staff. He was a soldier in the true sense of the word—devoted to his profession, and brave as a lion. Though very handsome, and of fine bearing, he was of humble birth—a mere child of the camp, and had followed the drum and bugle from boyhood. Every step in the line of promotion had been won by the stroke of his sabre; and his promotion from major of cavalry was for a gallant deed which transpired on the battle-field beneath the Emperor's own eye. Murat, that prince of cavalry officers, loved him like a brother, and taught him all that his own good taste and natural instinct had not led him to acquire before.

It was the carnival season in Paris, and Merville found himself at the masked ball in the French Opera House. Better adapted in his taste to the field than boudoir, he flirts but little with the gay figures that cover the floor, and joins but seldom in the giddy waltz. But at last, while standing thoughtfully, and regarding the assembled throng with a vacant eye, his attention was suddenly aroused by the appearance of a person in a white satin domino, the universal elegance of whose, figure, manner and bearing convinced all that her face and mind must be equal to her person in grace and loveliness.

Though in so mixed an assembly, still there was a dignity and reserve in the manner of the white domino that rather repulsed the idea of a familiar address, and it was sometime before the young soldier found courage to speak to her.

Some alarm being given, there was a violent rush of the throng towards the door, where, unless assisted, the lady would have materially suffered. Eugene Merville offered his arm, and with his broad shoulders and stout frame wards off the danger. It was a delightful moment; the lady spoke the purest French, was witty, fanciful, and captivating.

"Ah! lady, pray raise that mask, and reveal to me the charms of feature that must accompany so sweet a voice and so graceful a form as you possess."

"You would, perhaps, be disappointed."

"No, I am sure not."

"Are you so very confident?"

"Yes. I feel that you are beautiful. It cannot be otherwise."

Don't be too sure of that," said the domino. "Have you never heard of the Irish poet Moore's story of the veiled prophet of Khorassan—how when he disclosed his countenance, its hideous aspect killed his beloved one? How do you know that I shall not turn out a veiled prophet of Khorassan?"

"Ah, lady, your every word convinces me to the contrary," replied the enraptured soldier, whose heart began to feel as it had never felt before; he was already in love.

She eludes his efforts at discovery, but permits him to hand her to her carriage, which drives off in the darkness, and though he throws himself upon his fleetest horse, he is unable to overtake her.

The young French colonel becomes moody; he has lost his heart, and knows not what to do. He wanders hither and thither, shuns his former places of amusement, avoids his military companions; and, in short, is as miserable as a lover can well be, thus disappointed. One night, just after he had left his hotel on foot, a figure muffled to the very ears stopped him.

"Well, monsieur, what would you with me?" asked the soldier.

"You would know the name of the white domino?" was the reply.

"I would indeed," replied the officer hastily. "How can it be done?"

"Follow me."

"To the ends of the earth, if it will bring me to her."

"But you must be blindfolded."

"Very well."

"Step into this vehicle."

"I am at your command."

And away rattled the youthful soldier and his strange companion. "This may be a trick," reasoned Eugene Merville, "but I have no fear of personal violence. I am armed with this trusty sabre, and can take care of myself." But there was no cause for fear, since he soon found the vehicle stopped, and he was led blindfolded into the house. When the bandage was removed from his eyes, he found himself in a richly furnished boudoir, and before him stood the domino, just as he met her at the masked ball. To fall upon his knees and tell her how much he had thought of her since their separation, that his thoughts had never left her, that he loved her devotedly, was as natural as to breathe, and he did so most gallantly and sincerely.

"Shall I believe all you say?"

"Lady, let me prove it by any test you may put upon me."

"Know then, that the feelings you avow are mutual. Nay, unloose your arm from my waist. I have something more to say."

"Talk on forever, lady! Your voice is music to my heart and ears."

"Would you marry me, knowing no more of me than you now do?"

"Yes, if you were to go to the very altar masked!" he replied.

"Then I will test you."

"How, lady?"

"For one year be faithful to the love you have professed, and I will be yours—as truly as heaven shall spare my life!"

"O cruel suspense!"

"You demur?"

"Nay, lady, I shall fulfill your injunctions as I promised."

"If at the expiration of a year you do not hear from me, then the contract shall be null and void. Take this half ring," she continued, "and when I supply the broken portion I will be yours."

He kissed the little emblem, swore again and again to be faithful, and, pressing his hand to his lips he bade her adieu.

He was conducted away as mysteriously as he had been brought thither, nor could he by any possible means discover where he had been; his companion rejecting all bribes, and even refusing to answer the simplest questions.

Months roll on. Colonel Merville is true to his vow, and happy in the anticipation of love. Suddenly he was ordered on an embassy to Vienna, the gayest of European capitals, about the time that Napoleon is planning to marry the Arch-Duchess, Maria Louisa. The young Colonel is handsome, manly, and already distinguished in arms, and becomes at once a great favorite at court, every effort being made by the women to captivate him, but in vain; he is constant and true to his vow.

But his heart was not made of stone; the very fact that he had entertained such tender feelings for the white domino had doubtles made him more susceptible than before.

At last he met the young Baroness, Caroline von Waldroff, and in spite of his vows she captivates him, and he secretly curses the engagement he had so blindly made at Paris. She seems to wonder at what she believes to be his devotion; and yet the distance he maintains! The truth was, that his sense of honor was so great that though he felt he really loved the young Baroness, and even that she returned his affection, still he had given his word, and it was sacred.

The satin domino is no longer the ideal of his heart, but assumes the most repulsive form in his imagination, and becomes in place of his good angel—his evil genius

Well, time rolls on; he is to return in a few days; it is once more the carnival season, and in Vienna, too, that gay city. He joins in the festivities of the masked ball, and wonder fills his brain, when about the middle of the evening the white domino steals before him, in the same white satin dress he had seen her wear a year before at the French Opera House in Paris. Was it not a fancy?

I come, Colonel Eugene Merville, to hold you to your promise," she said laying her hand lightly upon his arm.

"Is this a reality or a dream?" asked the amazed soldier.

"Come, follow me, and you shall see that it is a reality," continued the mask pleasantly.

"I will."

"Have you been faithful to your promise?" asked the domino as they retired into a saloon.

"Most truly in act, but alas, I fear not in heart!"

"Indeed!"

"It is too true, lady, that I have seen and loved another, though my vow to you has kept me from saying so to her."

"And who is this that you thus love?"

"I will be frank with you and you, will keep my secret?"

"Most religiously."

"It is the Baroness von Waldroff," he said with a sigh.

"And you really love her?"

"Alas! only too dearly," said the soldier, sadly.

"Nevertheless, I must hold you to your promise. Here is the other half of the ring; can you produce its mate?"

"Here it is," said Eugene Merville.

"Then I, too, keep my promise!" said the domino, raising her mask, and showing to his astonished view the face of the Baroness von Waldroff!

She had seen and loved him for his manly spirit and character, and having found by inquiry that he was worthy of her love. she had managed this delicate intrigue, and had tested him, and now gave to him her wealth, title, and everything!

They were married with great pomp and accompanied the Arch-Duchess to Paris. Napoleon, to crown the happiness of his favorite. made him at once General of Division.

AN incident similar to one which has frequently been introduced in fiction and on the stage with excellent effect occurred in real life the other day. A lawyer in Providence, R. I., was, on behalf of the rightful heirs of an estate, contesting a will which he believed to have been forged. His clients were confident of the justice of their claims; but the instrument was apparently all correct, and the prospect of setting it aside looked very dubious. The pretended will was written under the date of 1855, and bore the stamp "A. P. Co.—Superfine." No paper but that of the Agawam Company of Miiteneague bears this mark. The lawyer conceived the idea of writing to the officials of the Agawam Company for information in regard to the paper, and had the satisfaction of learning that their first paper with that stamp was made and sold in 1860, which proved that the fraudulent will must have been written at least five years after its date. Of course this discovery settled the matter.

SUCCESS rides on every hour; grapple it and you may win; but without a grapple, it will never go with you. Work is the weapon of honor, and he who lacks the weapon will never triumph.

A WAG, reading in one of Brigham Young's manifestos "that the great resources of Utah are her women," exclaimed: "It is very evident that the prophet is disposed to husband his resources."

"WELL, Mrs. Smith," said Mrs. Jones, "if I'm anything, I'm a Unitarian; what religion are you?" "I ain't quite certain what they calls it, but my old man says he's a vegetarian."

THE latest plan for quick transit in New York is to build a viaduct of wood, stone and iron from the City Hall to Harlem river, high enough to span streets and wide enough for four railroad tracks.

"THE beauty of an old man is in his gray hair.' And the beauty of a young lady is in somebody else's hair—at least a great many of them must think so.

A SMART young lawyer hearing it stated by a lecturer that "man is merely a machine," remarked, "Then I suppose an attorney may be said to be a suing machine."

The Princess Laberti, who is now making a sensation in New York social life, has a $75,000 ward.

DOCTORS recommend young ladies to form walking clubs. This is a matter in which steps should be taken.

A WORD of kindness is seldom spoken in vain. It is seed which, even when dropped by chance, springs up a flower.

CHURCH AND STATE.—A Convention met in Philadelphia on the 18th instant for the purpose of "recognizing the Almighty in the Constitution." There are not wanting a large number of men in the United States who but a few years ago pronounced the Constitution "a covenant with hell and a compact with the devil," and we notice the names of several of these same gentlemen signed to the call for the Philadelphia Convention. How they expect to effect a Divine recognition of this brimstone impregnated document, is a mystery, for the solution of which the curious public must await the deliberations of the Convention. We presume it will be claimed that the hand of the Almighty can only be recognized in the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendments, and, considering the lying, fraud, force and violence used to accomplish even the pretended indorsement of the last, it is little less than blasphemy to claim a divine influence in the success of a trick so disreputable. Possibly the Convention will pass a series of resolutions, resolving that the Republican Congress is a Divine institution, and its disgraceful disfiguration of the Constitution is therefore sanctioned by Divine will.—*Stockton Republican.*

PHILADELPHIA claims to have the largest locomotive factory in the world employing 1,900 men, turning out one locomotive a day of the value of $15,000; the largest book publishing house in the world, the largest paper-hanging manufactury in the world, and probably the largest iron foundry, with any number of small industries thrown in.

DANIEL WEBSTER said: "If we work upon marble, it will perish; if we work upon brass, time will efface it; if we rear temples, they will crumble into dust; but if we work upon immortal minds—if we imbue them with right principles, with the just fear of God and love of our fellow-men, we engrave on these tablets something that will brighten for all eternity."

A PEACEFUL disposition is not absolutely protection against the turmoils of life. What is more peaceful than a clam? And yet, ten to one, it ends its life in a broil. And then how peacable an oyster is? And yet how frequently it gets mixed up in a stew.

"BE solemn," said Tom Corwin, "if you want to succeed. The world looks up to the ring master and down on the clown. It despises a man who entertains it. Be as solemn, therefore, as an ass. All the monuments have been built to solemn asses."

THE inhabitants of Florence, Italy, have been surprised by the appearance of an American circus company, and their astonishment culminated when they saw one of its members drive twenty-six horses through their streets, turning abrupt angles into ancient, narrow passages with apparent ease.

THE life of an editor is not always free from care. They have to stand this, up in Newnan, Georgia: "Come and look, mother," said a little boy, "there goes an editor." "My son. you should not make sport of the poor man; you cannot tell to what extremity you may come."

A MAN who had filed a petition for a divorce was informed by his counsel that his wife had filed "A cross petition," as the lawyers call it. "A cross petition," the husband exclaimed. "That's just like her; she never did a good-natured thing in her life!"

DISSATISFIED.—The Stockton *Republican* thinks that it is quite evident President Grant is dissatisfied with the manner in which the Democrats went marching through Georgia, and that he will make an effort to again place the State under military control.

THE life of a Virginia schoolmaster is not all sunshine. In Fairmount, the other day, the boys ducked their pedagogue in a neighboring creek, because he would not treat them to five dollars worth of trinkets.

AN old negro woman in Norfolk having dreamed several times about hidden treasures under her cabin, dug there and unearthed a lot of Continetal money, an old gold watch and several hundred dollors in old gold and silver coins.

TOM HUGHES thinks "too great haste" American national weakness.

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Parties desiring to subscribe for our paper may apply to either of the above gentlemen, or they may forward their names and money to us per Express, at our expense.

REV. E. B. LOCKLEY.

KINGS RIVER, Feb. 2, 1871.

ED. EXPOSITOR:—At the late Quarterly Conference of the M. E. Church South, held at Scottsburg School House, January 28, 1871, J. W. Leach, Presiding Elder in the chair, it was moved by the Pastor, Rev. J. H. Neal, and unanimously adopted by the ministers and officials, "that a committee on memoirs and resolutions, composed of local preachers, in reference to the death of Rev. E. B. Lockley, be appointed and the result of their labors published in the San Francisco *Spectator* and Millerton EXPOSITOR. Rev. Judge Baley, Rev. John Yeargin and Dr. T. O. Ellis, Sr., were appointed.

J. W. LEACH, P. E.,
T. O. ELLIS, SR., Sec'y.

Signed in behalf of the Conference.

REMARKS OF THE COMMITTEE.

Our community was deeply afflicted and affected at the sad intelligence of the untimely death of Rev. E. B. Lockley at his residence near Centerville, on Friday, 8 o'clock P. M., January 27th, A. D. 1871. He had walked out east of his house near the confines of the outward bluff of King's River, when suddenly a gun fired, killing his dog, and, being in the range of the shot, received three balls—one in his arm and two in his right breast. He instantly retreated and met his wife near his gate saying, "I am killed," fell on his knees, invoking the blessings of the Saviour, and died in a few minutes. The report is that a young man living in the vicinity fired the shotgun, *only* intending to kill the mastiff and not the owner. The committee feel it their duty to refrain from giving an opinion of guilt or innocence as the matter is undergoing investigation.

The deceased was born in South Carolina, January 1st, A. D. 1821, and departed this life January 27th, A. D. 1871, aged fifty years and twenty-six days. The 28th instant his mortal remains were deposited in Centerville graveyard, 3 o'clock P. M., the Rev. Mr. W. Craig officiating in the funeral obsequies in the presence of a large assembly of kind and sympathizing friends and brethren. The next day—Sunday—at 11 o'clock, the same Reverend gentleman, Mr. C., delivered an able and impressive funeral sermon, by request, in reference to the life and death of the deceased. From the hints and scraps of testimony we learned that Reverend Brother Lockley in youth was converted to Christianity in the bounds of the Georgia Conference and entered the traveling connection of the Southern Methodist Church in his twentieth year. Subsequently he was a traveling minister in Alabama Conference. In 1850 he was transferred to this coast, became a member of the Pacific Conference, and preached with great acceptability until death. In 1855 he was united in marriage to Miss Eliza Johnson, by whom he was blessed with four daughters, one of which sleeps quietly and undisturbed in Linden, California, the others with their mother live to mourn and suffer an irreparable loss in this life. Rev. Mr. Lockley was above mediocrity in talent and acquired abilities as a minister of the gospel. In fact he was original and powerful in the pulpit, and thousands will call to mind his energetic and stirring appeals fraught with happy quotations from inspired wisdom, a work in which he spent thirty years of his useful life. But he is gone to a world of happiness beyond the trials and chances of life, "Where the wicked cease to trouble and the weary are at rest."

At midnight came the cry, to meet thy God prepare!
He woke—and caught his captain's eye, then, strong in faith and prayer.
His spirit with a bound left its encumb'ring clay;
His tent, at sunrise, on the ground a darkened ruin lay.
The pains of death are past, labor and sorrow cease;
And, life's long warfare closed at last, his soul is found in peace.
Soldier of Chaist, well done! Praise be thy new employ;
And while eternal ages run, rest in thy Saviour's joy.

Conf'ce Com'tee { GILLUM BALEY, JOHN YEARGIN, T. O. ELLIS, Chm & Sec.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED.

Resolved, That the Committee in behalf of the Quarterly Conference, in session on the day of Rev. E. B. Lockley's interment, can but feebly express their sympathy and deep regret at the circumstances under which he lost his most useful and valuable life. But we remember who hath said, "All things shall work together for good to them that love God."

Resolved, That the family of our venerated Brother and fellow laborer have lost an affectionate husband, a kind and indulgent father, the community an honorable citizen, and the Southern Methodist Church one of her ablest and most powerful ministers in the gospel of Christ.

Resolved, That we tender to Sister Lockley and daughters our Christian condolence, praying the Great Head of the Church to be a father to the fatherless and a husband to the widow. "If we believe that Jesus died, according to the Scriptures, even so them that sleep in Jesus will God bring with him,"

Conf'nce Com. { GILLUM BALEY, JOHN YEARGIN, T. O. ELLIS, Chmn & Sec'y.

RADICAL INCONSISTENCIES.—There was never a more inconsistent set than the Radical party of the present day. They say one thing and mean another. They pretend to be in favor of doing justice to all men, and they give the right of suffrage to the ignorant negroes and deny it to their own race and color. They pass laws that favor the rich capitalists and work to the injury of the masses. They prate about their purity and at the same time they are stooping to the lowest and most corrupt means to secure their own political aavancement. While pretending to be the friend of the workingmen, they adopt every means to grind them down, by imposing upon them the most onerous and burthensome of taxes, and by throwing down every barrier, and permitting the infamous hordes of Asiatic barbarians to compete with them; and this competition is in favor of the money lords. In all the history of our country there has never been a party that boasted of its own purity more, and which, at the same time, has been guilty of so many disgraceful and unheard of crimes. Crimes before God and man. The vilest traitor that ever lived, Judias Iscarot, was but little deeper died in crime, than the man who now disgraces the Presidential chair, and who, by the assistance of his supporters, the Radical Congress, is making a political huckster shop of that place—a place once honored by the noble Washington, and the talented and respected Jefferson. "How have the mighty fallen!" Who would have thought that a place so high would ever fall into the hands of such vile and filthy horde. Yet these immaculate beings have the brazen effrontry to say that they are the only honest party in the land, when statistics show that they have stolen more money than all administrations which has preceded them, and have been guilty of crimes unparalleled in history.

FALL OF PARIS.—The fall of Paris will most probably end the war between France and Germany. A suspension of hostilities has been agreed upon, to permit the assembling of a National Convention, to decide whether the war will be continued, or the German terms for peace accepted. Reason would dictate the acceptance of peace, even though the terms be humiliating, rather than to pursue a war that must result in the conquest of France. France is afflicted, like the United States, with too many men with more ambition than brains, who imagine that they alone are the only ones to whom that poor country can look to for success. Gambetta, who all along has shown his incapacity for the position which he occupies, still cries for war, and will seek the Presidential chair on that platform. The terms of peace proposed are very severe. They ask the cessation of a Alsace and a portion of Loraine, the surrendering of twenty first-class ships of war, and the payment of an immense war indemnity.

CONGRESSMAN C. C. Bowen, of South Carolina, will be tried for bigamy at the current term of the Criminal Court of the District of Columbia. Mrs. Frances Bowen has commenced a suit against him for alimony in the Common Pleas Court of Charleston county, S. C., alleging that she married him on Oct. 31, 1852, in Augusta, Ga., and that she lived in wedlock with him until January, 1858, when he abandoned her. She alleges that her marriage with him has never been dissolved, but that nevertheless she believes he has since contracted two marriages—one in Florida, in 1860, and the second at Washington, in 1870. She further alleges that he has real estate worth $10,000, besides his salary of $5,000 as a member of Congress, and asks that a portion of his estate be sequestered for her benefit.

KU-KLUX.—The old Ku-Klux hobby has been hatched up again. The Reconstruction Committee is now buisily engaged in investigating the matter. This cry of outrages being committed by secret bodies of armed white men, is only being gotten up by the Radical knaves for the purpose of making a pretext for again putting the gag on some of the Southern States to prevent their having a voice in the next Presidential election. The Radical leaders know full well if they do not do this they cannot hope for success.

IT said that Grant will recast his entire Cabinet on the fourth of March next. The new Cabinet will be made up with an eye to adding strength to the failing powers of the Radical party. Morton, of Indiana is mentioned in connection with the office of Secretary of State. Verily, Grant is a most energetic Cabinet-maker.

T. J. SHACKLEFORD, of Visalia, will be a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Supreme Court, before the Democratic Convention.

MR. MONTGOMERY, of Merced county has fenced in a field nine miles square—51,840 acres—as a pasture for his stock.

ADJOINING COUNTIES.

We clip the following from the Snelling *Argus*. The same mortgage has also been recorded in this and Tulare counties:

A deed of Trust was recorded in the Recorder's office of this county on Saturday last, made to D. O. Mills and W. C. Ralston by the Central Pacific Railroad Company, on their road from Lathrop to Visalia, on road and rolling stock, lands, buildings, etc., to secure the bondholders in the sum of six millions and eighty thousand dollars and interest thereon at six per cent. per annum, payable semi annually. The bonds are to be redeemed on or before Oct. 1st, A. D. 1900, and are of the denomination of one thousand dollars each, to be paid in United States gold coin. The redemption of the bonds to commence in the year 1880, and continue at the rate of $50,000 annually until Oct. 1st, 1900, when the whole are to be due and payable.

This operation seems to indicate that the company are in earnest, and that in due time the road will be built. Of course we may expect the road to be extended into our county early the coming spring, and that it will continue to advance regularly until it reaches Visalia. The country along the entire line of the road from Lathrop to Visalia is being rapidly settled up and by the time the road is completed there will be sufficient traffic and travel to make it pay. Almost the entire country along the line of the road is now settled by thrifty farmers, and the product of grain for shipment to a foreign market is increasing at a ratio that will keep pace with the improved facilities for transportation.

From the Mariposa *Gazette* we glean the following items:

Mr. Geo. S. Miller, Postmaster at this place, has received notice from the Department at Washington that the mail service between Mariposa and Modesto will be increased in May to six times per week and will so continue during six months of the year.

Tom Bichard, of Upper Agua Fria, has sent us a goose egg laid by his hen; circumference 6 inches by 7½ inches. The hen claims the belt, and Bichard thinks she has not been beaten since the Lay of the last Minstrel. Doing as well as could be expected.

"DEAD ISSUES."—From one of our exchanges, the name of which we accidentally failed to note at the time, we clipped the following palpable hits at the standing argument of Radicals, when any question comes up that they cannot manage to dovetail with loyalty:

"The Constitution is a 'dead issue,' therefore never mention it. States' Rights against Centralization is a 'dead issue,' therefore make no effort to keep Congress within the scope of the powers granted by the Constitution. Opposition to the use of the Army to carry elections is a 'dead issue,' therefore make no objections to it. Carpet-bagging is a 'dead issue,' therefore let the New England Radicals fill all the important offices in the Southern States. Scalawaggery is a 'dead issue,' therefore let decent people submit to the rule of thieves and ignoramuses. The debt is a 'dead issue,' therefore let it remain on the shoulders of the people, without modifications or reduction. The question of the permanency of the national banks is a 'dead issue,' therefore let them alone. Gold and silver as a circulating medium for the people is a 'dead issue,' therefore do not agitate it. Retrenchment and reform is a 'dead issue,' therefore let it sleep. Nepotism is a 'dead issue,' therefore say nothing about it. Negro suffrage is a 'dead issue,' therefore say nothing about the word 'white.' Opposition to Radicalism is a 'dead issue,' therefore let Radicalism rule forever.

NEWS ITEMS.

Tulare county has a floating debt of $48,316 22, and $5,244 99 cash in the Treasury.

The engine-shed and woodshed of the Central Pacific Railroad at Blue canyon were burned on Tuesday.

Nevada has sent fifty-eight persons to the Insane Assylum of this State. Of this number fifteen have died and fifteen been discharged.

It is the intention of the Copperopolis Railroad Company to have a passenger train running on the road by the 15th of February.

Charles B. McKnight and a man named Ross, belonging to the post at Musselshell, Montana, while out hunting on the 11th ultimo, were shot and killed by a war party of Sioux Indians.

Letters patent of the United States to the X. L. C. R. Mining Company, more commonly known as the Reddington Quicksilver Mining Company, have been received at the Land Office in Marysville.

James Massey attempted to commit suicide in Vallejo, on Tuesday, by cutting his throat with a razor. He was arrested in the act in time to save his life, but not till he inflicted severe injury upon himself.

It is stated that 300,000 more acres of wheat will be sown in San Joaquin county this year than last. So far the season has been more favorable for putting in grain than any year since 1854.

THE British army is said to be in a most discontented and disjointed condition at this time. The new control system, and all the officials connected with it, are heartily hated by the entire combatant portion of the army; while the control, from the chief down, reciprocate this sentiment with fervor. The men who carry arms are dissatisfied, the officers are discontented, and those above the officers are aggresive and incompetent. The militia and the volunteers are in no better state than the regular army; and the whole military establishment of Great Britain, according to the best English authorities, appears to be in a state of hopeless confusion and helplessness.

MISCELLANY.

There are 3,000 acres of oyster beds in Chesapeak Bay, yielding annually 25,000,000 bushels of oysters. In Baltimore, upward of $10,000 000 are employed in the business of canning oysters.

Frank Osorio, a printer, died in Stockton on Tuesday.

One dairy establishment in Maine county has 2,500 cows.

The Stockton Independent has entered upon its twentieth volume.

On Friday, January 27th, the County Clerk of Los Angeles granted eighteen marriage licences.

The engineers of the North Pacific Railroad have discovered vast veins of coal on the line of the road, in the valley of the Missouri.

Mr. Chase, while digging a well at Marysville, discovered a log of wood, eight inches in diameter, at a depth of forty feet from the surface.

Saturday evening last a cave occured in the Coe mine, Nevada county, and one of the miners, Thomas Rowe, was caught by the falling rock. His collar bone was broken.

In one portion of Merced county twentysix men have some 13,210 acres of wheat this seaon. In other settlements of the county a greater number of acres heve been sown.

Daniel Sullivan stole a fine horse from P. C. Slattery, in Marysville, on Tuesday. On Wednesday he was caught at Brown's valley and brought back for trial. The horse was also recovered.

A number of legislators were in Virginia on the night of the fire, and it is reported that dry goods were in demand on their return to Carson next morning. Some of them emulated the renowned Parley in their flight from the devouring element.

Marshal MacMahon has recovered from his wound, and is now living at the Victoria Hotel, in Wiesbaden.

The Emperor of Austria has recently given from his private purse several hundred florins to divers institutions and communities that have suffered by fire and flood.

THE Little Corporal Magazine for Februrary is as crisp and pure as a northern snowflake. Its illustrations are superb. Mr. Sewell who founded the Corpral nearly six years ago, and under whose editorship it has achieved such an enviable name and circulation, announces, in this number, his withdrawal from the firm of Sewell & Miller, who have for some time been the publishers. He goes into the book manufacturing business, and will still continue to conduct and publish the School Festival, which is devoted to day and Sunday school entertainments. The Little Corporal Magazine will hereafter be published by John E. Miller, Chicago, Mr. Sewell's former partner, and edited by Mrs. Emily Huntington Miller, who has heretofore been associate editor.

A MISSISSIPIAN, in bragging about his wife, wound up with the declaration: "Why, she'd make a regular high pressure steamer, she's such a talent for blowing up!"

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY the undersigned, Administrator of the above named estate, to the creditors of, and all persons holding claims against said deceased, to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months from the first publication of this notice, to the undersigned, at the office of C. G. Sayle, in the town of Millerton, Fresno county, Cal. JAMES A. MOORE.

February 2d, 1871.—4w

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ESTATE OF WOODSON JOURDAN—Deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the above named estate, to the creditors of, and all persons holding claims against said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers, within four months from the first publication of this notice, to me at my residence on Upper King's river, near Centerville, Fresno county, Cal.

ISADORE CISSELL, Administrator.

February 8, 1871.—1m

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY!

GRAND BALL!

A GRAND BALL WILL BE GIVEN at Centerville, Fresno county, in honor of the Birthday of GEORGE WASHINGTON, on

Wednesday Evening, February 22d.

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Witt's Ranch, January 30th, 1870.—1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all warrants now outstanding against the various funds of Fresno county are now due and payable, on presentation to the Treasurer, at his Office, in the town of Millerton.

W. W. HILL, County Treasurer.

Millerton, January 23, 1871.

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RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

There will be regular preaching once in each month at the following named places, Rev. J. H. Neal pastor:

First Sabbath at the Mississippi School House at 11 o'clock

Second Sabbath Scottsburg School House at 11 o'clock in the morning.

Third Sabbath at the Dry Creek School House at 11 o'clock in the morning.

Fourth Sabbath in the Court House, Millerton, at 11 o'clock.

TOWN AND COUNTY.

THE Board of Supervisors appropriated $600 towards paying for the building of embankments to the bridges across Cole Slough on the road from Kingston to Elkhorn Station. Embankments have been built thirty feet wide on the bottom and fifteen feet in width on the top, under the supervision of Mr. O. H. Bliss and Mr. E. St. John. The cost of building them amounts to about $1,100, about $500 of which has been paid by the two gentlemen mentioned and a few other citizens of Kingston—the appropriation of the Board being to meet the deficiency.

THE following is a list of the letters remaining in the Millerton, Cal., P. O, February 1st, 1871: Martin G. Bennett, Mrs. Susan W. Barr, Robert C. Barton, J. B. Chamberlain, Mrs. Matty Davis, 2, Jas. W. Dunlap, 4, John D. England, M. Felbach, Miss Fanny Gunn, John Hass, Chas. Henry, James Karnes, James Howard, W. R. King, George Thorne, Mary Moor, Alexander McElroy, Mrs. Elizabeth Nichols, Jeremiah Wiman, Perry Leeds, S. Shatab, J. A. Sillson, J. W. Smith, Augustus W. Springer, John Thompson, Adam Tollinger, Jacob S. Woodford.

IMPROVEMENTS AT KINGSTON.—From our friend Mr. O. H. Bliss, we learn that a number of improvements have been made at the above mentioned place, and others are contemplated. Mr. Bliss has completed his private residence, and Mr. Sanderson has also built one. Messrs. M. Fleishman & Co., will, as soon as they can obtain the lumber, build a fine, large store between the Kingston Hotel and Levis, Sweet & Co.'s. We are pleased to hear of the prosperous condition of our sister town.

SHUT DOWN.—The Buchanan Copper Mining Company has suspended operations again. But little had been done further than getting things in readiness for working when they shut down. Nothing is known as to the causes which induced the suspension, and so the good people of Buchanan are as much in the dark as ever in regard to what disposition will be made of this most valuable piece of mining property.

CATTLE DYING.—We are sorry to learn that in the southern portion of this county, and around Tulare lake cattle are dying off very fast, on account of the scarcity of feed. The rains have been much lighter in the lower portion of this county and in Tulare, than it has been along the San Joaquin, consequently grass is not so forward as here. A heavy rain is sadly needed over this entire section.

THE PARTY.—The party on last Friday evening, though gotten up on very short notice, was well attended, and was certainly as pleasant as any affair of the kind that we ever attended. The supper was served at Henry's hotel, and was very good. All who were present expressed themselves as being highly delighted with the manner in which it went off.

MORE DUCKS.—Mr. Harry Lyons, the gentleman in charge of Bennett's stage station on the Fresno, kindly sent us poor printers three large, fat canvass-back ducks We do not know when we smacked our lips over anything more delicious. Mr. Lyons will accept the thanks of the printers for his very acceptable present.

PARTY AT CENTERVILLE.—Our good friend Mr. W. Caldwell, announces that he he will give a dancing party at Centerville on the evening of February 22d, the anniversary of Washington's Birthday. We are certain it will be a very pleasant entertainment.

THAT PRIZE.—We last week stated that some hombre in this county had drawn a thousand dollar prize in the Nevada lottery. We were slightly mistaken. The lucky ticket was held by a lady at Kingston—Mrs. Ambrose Lyall—and was sold by Mr. O. H. Bliss. The lucky number was 1149.

THE Good Templars of Millerton lodge I. O. G. T., had its officers installed on last Saturday night by Mr. Isaacs, State Deputy, assisted by Mr. D. K. Zumalt, of Visalia. Quite a number of visitors from the Good Templars' lodge at Visalia were in attendance. We learn that the members had a very pleasant time.

PERSONAL.—We have been favored during the past few days with calls from the following gentlemen: Mr. E. A. Morse, Superintendent of the New Idria Quicksilver Mining Company, Mr. O. H. Bliss, of Kingston, and Dr. J. H. Van Ness.

GROWING NICELY.—From a gentleman who has been lately paying a visit to the plains we learn that the grass is growing finely and the crops are looking well. He informs us that in the portions of the county he had visited everything looked most promising.

WE direct the attention of our Dry Creek readers to the business card of Mr. F. Jensen. They will find it much to their advantage to call on him and examine his stock and prices before attempting to send to the city for their supplies.

RELIGIOUS.—The Rev. Mr. Trowsdell, of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, will preach in the Court House on next Sunday morning and evening at the usual hours.

WE were in error in regard to the name of the man who killed Rev. Mr. Lockley. His name is Kountz instead of Coon, and his age twenty-one instead of seventeen, as given in our item of last week.

To avert evil is one of the grandest triumphs of human skill. This triumph is achieved by Dr. Walker's Vegetable Vinegar Bitters. They build up, fortify and renovate the feeble system, thus enabling it to defy the elemental causes of disease. Hence their efficacy as a protective medicine, in districts where the air and water are impure. The weakest and most susceptible organization is rendered proof against all malarious disorders by taking one or two doses daily as a preventive,

BOUND OVER.—The examination of Kountz for the killing of the Rev. E. B. Lockley, at Centerville on the 27th ult. resulted in his being bound over to appear before the next Grand Jury, to answer the charge of involuntary manslaughter. His bail was fixed by Justice Booker at $500, which he immediately gave and was discharged from custody.

THE advertisement of Ferris, Van Tassel & Co. was unavoidably crowded out this week, but will appear in our next.

SOME years ago the Canadian authorities, to encourage the destruction of wolves, were paying a bounty of three dollars for wolves' noses; which led an enterprising Yankee into a profitable trade in the way of supplying the honest rustics with india-rubber noses, which so perfectly imitated the natural article that for a long time the victimized officials did not suspect the swindle. In Wisconsin the Legislature, for the purpose of instigating a warfare against the lupine race has offered a bonus of ten dollars for every wolf's scalp brought to the authorities; and the result has been that the rural population has gone heavily into the business of raising wolves for the sake of obtaining the bounty.

AN old Bachelor says: "Young men, keep clear of calico, if you want to do any thing great. Calico is a baneful institution. A pair of sweet lips, a slim waist, and the pressure of a delicate hand, will do as much to unhinge a man as the measles and the doctor's bill to boot."

"TAKE off your bonnet, and spend the afternoon, my dear Mrs. Stow. We are going to have tapleaux to-night, and I am sure you will enjoy them." Law sakes, I thought I smelt something good a cookin' and I guess I will stop until after supper."

CARL SCHURZ is reported to have said that next year Missouri will give a Democratic majority of at least one hundred thousand votes. Schurz knows whereof he speaks.

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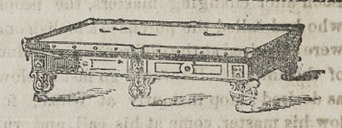

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Scrofulous poison is one of the most destructive enemies of our race. Often, this unseen and unfelt tennant of the organism undermines the constitution, without exciting a suspicion of its presence. Again, it seems to breed infection throughout the body, and then, on some favorable occasion, rapidly develops in one or other of its hideous forms, either on the surface or among the vitals. In the latter, tubercles may be suddenly deposited in the lungs or heart, or tumors formed in the liver, or it shows its presence by eruptions on the skin, or foul ulcerations on some part of the body. Hence the occasional use of a bottle of this Sarsaparilla is advisable, even when no active symptoms of disease appear.—Persons afflicted with the following complaints generally find immediate relief and at length cure by the use of this SARSAPARILLA: St. Anthony's Fire, Rose or Erysipelas, Sore Eyes, Sore Ears, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Ringworm and other visible forms of Scrofulous disease. Also in the more concealed forms, as Dyspepsia, Dropsy, Heart Disease, Fits, Epilepsy, Neuralgia and the various Ulcerous affections of the muscular and nervous systems.

Syphilis or Venereal or Mercurial Diseases are cured by it, though a long time is required for subduing these maladies by any medicine. But long, continued use of this medicine will cure the complaint. Leucorrhœa or Whites, Uterine Ulcerations and Female Diseases are commonly soon relieved and ultimately cured by its purifying and invigorating effect. Minute directions for each are found in our Almanac, supplied gratis Rheumatism and Gout, when caused by accumulations of extraneous matters in the blood, yield quickly to it, as also Liver Complaints, Torpidity, Congestion or Inflamation of the Liver, and Jaundice, when arising, as they often do from, the rankling poisons in the blood. The SARSAPARILLA is a great restorer for the strength and vigor of the system. Those who are Languid and Listless, Despondent, Sleepless, and troubled with Nervous Apprehensions or Fear, or any of the affections symptomatic of Weakness, will find immediate relief and convincing evidence of its restorative power upon trial.

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WAITING.

I thought that I could patient be,
I thought I'd strength for any fate.
So that the end and aim were thee—
But oh, it seems so long to wait!

Ten thousand miles of cruel seas
Have made us twain, who once were one;
Will my sad vigil never cease?
I would that it had ne'er begun!

Alas! so distant, love, art thou—
My day begins when thine is done,
And ends when thine begins—but now
The day and night to me are one.

Where thou art not there is no day
For one to whom thy love was light;
The world has grown so cold and gray,
I shiver though the sun is bright.

How many suns may rise and set,
How many moons must wax and wane
Ere I this weary pain forget,
And hold thee in my arms again?

I know that thou art true and fond,
I know thy love is strong and great;
I promise never to despond.
But oh, it seams so long to wait.

HOUSE, FARM AND GARDEN.

SMALL FRUITS.—Our farmers, as a rule, neglect the small fruit gardens; and there is no spot of ground that will conduce more to the health and comfort of a family, than a small plat judiciously laid out, and planted to small fruits. The expenses are very slight, and there are but few farmers wives and daughters who would not willingly take upon themselves the most of the labor, when the fruit garden was once established. The small fruit garden should be fenced to itself, and to supply the wants of an ordinary family need not be large. A hundred feet square will raise a good supply; and no more ground should be enclosed than will be properly worked. A few dollars will purchase a sufficient number of grape vines, blackberry and strawberry vines, and gooseberry and currant bushes to plant it. From these other plants may be propagated; but for most families the original stock will be sufficient. If the fruit be interspersed with hardy flowers, the general appearance of the garden is improved. No more profitable investment can be made by an ordinary farmer, than as above indicated, if the health and happiness of the family are counted as worth anything.

A VICIOUS HORSE CURED BY KINDNESS. A horse in Framingham, formerly driven in a meat cart, was bought by his present owner at a very low price, because reputed vicious. He would bite, rear, kick, and runaway, and was utterly unmanagable. Soon after changing masters, the people who had called the purchase a foolish one, were surprised at the difference in conduct of the animal. He would go fast or slow, as desired; stop instantly at whoa! follow his master, come at his call, and rub his head on his shoulder. What had made the change? Not force: the poor horse had been beaten, kicked, and starved before, and had grown more and more stubborn. No; but he was well fed, well bedded, well watered; not overdriven or overloaded; never whipped, kicked or scolded. Kind words were given, and now and then an apple or a lump of sugar. No gentler, safer, more faithful horse went on the road. But Indian fashion, he forgot neither benefit nor injury. Occasionally, when in harness, he saw his former master. Then, invariably, all the fire of his nature was roused. His eye rolled, he champed his bit, and showed an intense desire to get hold of his enemy. Only the voice and carressing hand of his kind owner could quiet him. What a power in kindness—the power that even the Almighty loves best to use!—*Dumb Animals.*

FOR many years, says Carlyle, it has been one of my constant regrets that no schoolmaster of mine had a knowledge of natural history, so far at least as to have taught me the grasses that grow by the wayside, and the little winged and wingless neighbors that are continually meeting me with a salutation which I cannot answer, as things are.

IT should be borne in mind that there is an unending, active competition now in farming as in other pursit, and he who would be successful must be on the lookout to secure all the assistance he can procure, all that science, inventive genius and research can offer, to make his labor profitable and enhance the fertility of his land.

ADVICE TO A YOUNG AUTHOR.—Mark Twain gets off the following to a "Young Author," in his "Answers to Correspondents:"

Yes, Agassiz does recommend authors to eat fish, because the phosphorous in it makes brains. So far you are correct, but I cannot help you to a decision about the amount you need to eat—at least not with certainty. If the specimen composition you send is about your fair usual average, I should judge that perhaps a couple of whales would be all you would want at present. Not the largest kind, but simply good, middling sized whales.

THE first newspaper ever printed in Hebrew is the "Hamagid," a weekly, published at Lyck, East Prussia, and now in its Fourteenth year. It is read wherever Israelites are found, and has an especially large circulation in Russia, and has done more towards the enlightenment and social elevation of the Russian Jews than any other paper ever published.

CURIOSITIES OF ADVERTISING.

Grief and business have seldom been more thoroughly mixed than in the following obituary notice. The residence of the defunct we omit, and the name we have changed, therefore it will not worrit his friends:

"Othneil Sitgreaves, we are sorry to stait has deceased. He departed this last Mundy. He went 4th without a struggle, and sich is life. He kept a nice store, which his wife now waits on. His virchews wos numerous, and his wife inherits them. We are happy to stait that he never cheeted, speshully in the wate of makeral, which wos olways nice and smelt sweat, and his surviving wife is the same way. We never knew him to put sand in his sugar, though he had a big sand bar in front of his house; nor water his lickers, tho the Ohio river past his door. Piece tu his remanes. He leves 1 wife, 9 children, 1 kow, 4 hoses, a growcery store and other quadrooped to mourn his loss. But in the langwidge of the poit his loss is thare eternal gane."

From a Western paper we cut the following notice:

"Died—After a short illness yesterday my wife, leaving behind her three infant children. In the hope that her poor soul is with God, I beg to inform my customers that my store will be as well furnished as formerly, having confided my business to my principal clerk—who is extremely intelligent and as well versed in the business as the deceased herself."

"N. B.—Fresh corned beef just received."

A pious but injudicious individual with a set of stencil plates, devotes Saturday nights in Waterbury, Connecticut, to posting scriptural quotations on the blank walls. Working in the dark, he chooses some queer places. It is apt to destroy the intended effect, says the local paper, to read; "What must I do to be saved?" "Try Dr. Sprague's Female Strengthening Bitters."

A little fellow in Elmira, New York, went into a printing house the other day and was much impressed with what he saw, so much so that he sat down and wrote a composition about it. Here it is:

"On how to get up a newspaper."

"First—The Headman sits down at a desk and writes on square pieces of paper what he wants to print in the Paper and then gives each man a paper. The man that the paper is given to takes the types and fixes them one after another so that they read what the paper reads. A man then takes the words and puts them in a box as they are to be in the Papers then he takes the box and places it in some machinery that makes it go back and forth, then there is a boy who stands over the machinery and puts the paper on the machinery and then some hooks bring it down over the box with types in and the types have ink on. The types print on the paper then there is hooks that takes the paper up and lays it on the table then they fold the papers and sell them the end JOHN M POTTER.

A man with a new patent medicine warns the public against drinking "those simmering compounds of liquid Devils, those mixtures of concentrated Death, called 'Bitters.'"

St. Louis has genius who advertises as a "chronic physician."

Detroit advertises for a dime novel author.

A WHOLE NEWSPAPER IN ONE SQUARE INCH.—A correspondent of the *World*, writes from London, as follows:

Last night I received from one of your correspondents in Paris the most extraordinary thing in the way of a newspaper that I have ever seen. Your correspondent had cut out all the news of the Paris journals of November, had pasted them together, and then photographed them, reducing what filled seven columns of print to a space scarcely more than an inch and a half square. This he forwarded by baloon mail; and although to the unassisted eye its contents were undecipherable, by the aid of a very powerful magnifying glass and a strong light it could be read.

CONVERSATION.—There is speaking well, speaking easily, speaking justly, and speaking seasonably. It is offending against the last, to speak of entertainments before the indigent; of sound limbs and health before the infirm; of houses and lands before one who has not so much as a dwelling; in a word, to speak of your prosperity before the miserable. This conversation is cruel, and the comparison, which naturally rises in them between their condition and yours, is excrutiating.

THE Rev. B. A. Smith recently married Sylvester Smith to Lydia A. Smith, at Jacob Smith's, in Van Buren county, Iowa. 25 persons were present, all Smith's but one, and he was a widower who had married a Smith, and was looking out for another.

CHARLES LAMB told Barry Cornwall, when they were once making up a dinner party together, not to invite a certain lugubrious friend of theirs. "Because," said Charles, "he would cast a damper even over a funeral."

IT turns out that the Alabama claims amount to but $13,000,000.

QUEER MARRIAGES.—Among the ancient Germans it was death for any woman to marry before she was twenty years old. By the law of Lycurgus the most special attention was paid to the physical education, and no delicate or sick woman was allowed to marry. In the Royal Library of Paris is a written contract, drawn up in 1297, between two persons of noble birth in Armagucc. The document bound husband and wife to faithful wedlock for seven years. It stipulated that the parties should have the right to renew the tie at that time if they mutually agreed; but if not the children were to be equally divided; if the number should not chance to be even they were to draw lots for the odd one. In Borneo, marriages, which generally succeed a lengthened routine of enigmatical courtship peculiar to these people, are celebrated with great pomp and considerable originality. The bride and bridegroom are conducted from the opposite ends of the village to the spot where the ceremony is performed. They are seated on two bars of iron, symbolical of the vigorous and lasting blessing in store for them. A cigar and a betel leaf, carefully prepared with areca nut, are put into the hands of each. One of the officiating priests advances, waves two fowls over the heads of the betrothed, and in a long address to the Supreme Being and a short one to the couple, calls down eternal blessings on them, implores that peace and happiness attend the union, and gives some temporal advice, sometimes of a character more medical than saintly. The spiritual part being thus concluded, the material succeeds. The heads of the affianced are knocked together four times; then the bridegroom puts his betel leaf and cigar into the mouth of the bride—and thus they are acknowledged a wedded couple, with the sanction of their religion. At a later period on the nuptial evening, fowls are killed, the blood caught in two cups, and from its color the priests fortell the happiness or misery of the newly married. The ceremony is closed by a feast, much dancing and noisy music.

CLIPPINGS.

The Pope is said to be an excellent billiard player.

John Esten Cook is writing a life of Gen. R. E. Lee.

Baron von Beust, the Austrian Premier smokes forty cigars a day.

The ice in Virginia is said to be the best and thickest ever gathered in the State.

Lake Cochituate which supplies Boston with water, is eight feet lower than last year at this time.

Mr. Ferry, the new Senator from Michigan, is soon to become a son-in-law of Senator Chadler.

A Colorado editor avenges himself on a rival by publishing his mariage under the head of "Crimes and Causalties."

The Millerites of Massachusetts, undeterred by previous failures, have fixed upon February 11 as the day of the final judgement.

The Wesleyan Union Church in Harrisburg "is being decorated for the live bird oyster pie festival and eastern ancient wedding."

Under the head of "Lost Races of America," a gentleman is getting up a list of the most celebrated horses wich have been beaten.

The phonetic system is not so very new. When Daniel Boon moved to Missouri he wrote that he had pitched his habitation on a "purrary."

The Supreme Court of Iowa has decided that if a juryman drinks intoxicating liquors during a trial the verdict may be set aside and a new trial ordered.

A remedy for children's crying is proposed. It is to dash a cupful of water into the infant's face and the inventor asserts that a few repetitions of the dose will suffice.

Gen. Schenck says that he intends to live entirely within his income while in England and not like some of his predecessors, to waste his salary in costly entertainments.

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